

RESOLUTION NO. 130-2025(MSES), *First Reading*

By Mayor Seren

A Resolution authorizing the Mayor to execute an agreement with Wade Trim, Inc. of Ohio, for professional design engineering and associated services relating to control of sanitary sewer overflows and illicit connections on Cleveland Heights Boulevard, and compliance with the partial consent decree with the USEPA; and declaring the necessity that this legislation become immediately effective as an emergency measure.

WHEREAS, it is necessary to retain an engineering firm to perform design services related to control of sanitary sewer overflows (“SSOs”) and illicit connections, and to monitor compliance with the requirements of the partial consent decree, which services will include reporting, SSO monitoring, sewer cleaning and assessment including dye testing of locations on Cleveland Heights Boulevard and Montevista Road, field investigations, project implementation and supporting communications with the USEPA; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor has determined that the services of Wade Trim have well served the City’s needs for professional engineering services in connection with the City’s SSO Control project and compliance with the partial consent decree; and

WHEREAS, such professional engineering services are professional services for which no bidding is necessary.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City of Cleveland Heights, Ohio, that:

SECTION 1. The Mayor shall be and is hereby authorized to execute an agreement with Wade Trim, Inc. of Ohio to provide professional design engineering services related to illicit connections on Cleveland Heights Boulevard, monitoring of compliance with the partial consent decree, for 2025-2026. The terms of the agreement shall be substantially in accordance with the engineer’s proposal dated June 9, 2025, a copy of which is on file with the Clerk of Council. Compensation for the services detailed therein shall be paid for work actually performed at the rates described therein and in no event shall exceed One Million Eight Hundred and Ninety-Seven Thousand Dollars (\$1,897,000.00), including expenses. All agreements and documents hereunder shall be approved as to form by the Director of Law.

SECTION 2. It is found and determined that all formal actions of the Council relating to the adoption of this Resolution were taken in an open meeting of this Council, and that all deliberations of this Council and any of its committees that resulted in such formal action, were in meetings open to the public, in compliance with all legal requirements.

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SECTION 3. Notice of the passage of this Resolution shall be given by publishing the title and abstract of its contents, prepared by the Director of Law, once in one newspaper of general circulation in the City of Cleveland Heights, or by posting the full text of this Resolution to the City of Cleveland Heights website.

SECTION 4. It is necessary that this Resolution become immediately effective as an emergency measure necessary for the preservation of the public peace, health and safety of the inhabitants of the City of Cleveland Heights, such emergency being the need to timely meet partial consent decree requirements. Wherefore, provided it receives the affirmative vote of five (5) or more of the members elected or appointed to this Council, this Resolution shall take effect and be in force immediately upon its passage; otherwise, it shall take effect and be in force from and after the earliest time allowed by law.



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President of Council



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Clerk of Council

PASSED: June 16, 2025

Presented to Mayor: 06/18/2025 Effective date: 06/27/2025\*

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KAHLIL SEREN  
Mayor

\*Effective date per Article IV, Section 5 of the Codified Ordinances of the City of Cleveland Heights